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For Sale.

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Summary of Democratic Platform.

Bristling with Democratic progressivism, the platform on which the Democratic party will stand during the approaching campaign was completed Friday.

The document covers every subject of party discussion during the last four years. None of them are elaborately presented, but the large number of subjects renders it somewhat voluminous. A summary of the platform follows:

Reaffirms party's devotion to the principles of Democratic government as formulated by Jefferson.

Declares for a tariff for revenue only and denounces "the high Republican tariff as the principal cause of the unequal distribution of wealth."

Favors immediate downward revision of present duties, especially upon necessities of life. Also favors gradual reduction so as not to interfere with or destroy legitimate industries. Denounces President Taft for vetoing tariff bills of last Congress. Condemns Republican party for failure to redeem its promises of 1908 for downward revision. Takes issue with the Republican platform as to the high cost of living, contending it is largely due to high tariff laws.

Favors vigorous enforcement of the criminal features of the anti-trust law. Demands such additional legislation as may be necessary to crush private monopoly.

Favors prohibition of holding companies, interlocking directors, stock watering, etc. Condemns Republican administration for "compromising with Standard Oil Company and Tobacco Trust."

Denounces as "usurpation" the efforts of Republicans to deprive States of their rights and to enlarge powers of the Federal Government.

"There is," says the platform, "no twilight zone between the nation and the State in which exploiting interests can take refuge from both."

Urges people to support proposed constitutional amendments, pending in various State Legislatures, providing for an income tax and election of the United States Senators by direct vote of the people. As justification of the demands of the party for publicity of campaign expenditures, attention is directed to "the enormous expenditures of money in behalf of the President and his predecessor in the recent presidential contest."

Declares for presidential preference primaries. Directs National Committee to provide for selection at primaries of members of National Committee.

Pledges party to enactment of law prohibiting campaign contributions by corporations and unreasonable campaign contributions by individuals.

Favors single presidential term and making President ineligible to re-election.

Felicitates Democratic Congress on its record, enumerating important achievements, and pledges an adequate navy.

Denounces Republican administration on charge of extravagance and demands return to simplicity and economy befitting a Democratic government. Favors efficient supervision and rate regulation of railroads, express companies, telegraph and telephone lines, a valuation of these companies by the Interstate Commerce Commission, and also legislation against overissuance of stocks of these corporations.

In the connection with a demand for such a revision of the banking laws as

will give temporary relief in case of financial distress, there is a denunciation of the Aldrich bill prepared by the Monetary Commission.

The present method of depositing Government funds is condemned and the party is pledged to the enactment of a law for the deposit of such funds by competitive bidding in state or National banks, without discrimination as to locality.

Recommends investigation of agricultural credit societies in Europe to ascertain whether a system of rural credits may be devised suitable to conditions in the United States.

Pledges party to enactment of legislation to prevent devastation of lower Mississippi Valley by floods, and the control of the Mississippi is declared to be a national rather than a State problem. The maintenance of a navigable channel is also recommended.

Favors national aid regarding post-roads.

Repeats party's declaration of the platform of 1908 as to rights of labor and pledges the party to an employees' compensation law.

Declares the unnecessary withdrawal of public lands tends to retard development and bring retrach upon policy of conservation; that reservations should be limited to purposes which they purport to serve; favors broadest liberality in administering land laws, and says forest reserve not permitting homestead entries within the national forests should not be nullified by administrative regulations.

Declares for immediate action to make available Alaska coal lands and safeguarding the lives of miners.

Favors encouragement of agriculture and legislation to suppress gambling in agricultural products.

Believes in fostering growth of a merchant marine and urges speedy enactment of laws for greater security of life and property at sea.

Reaffirms previous declarations regarding pure food and public health.

Favors reorganization of the civil service and says law should be honestly and rigidly enforced.

Recommends law reform legislation. Reaffirms position against policy of "imperialism and colonial exploitation" in Philippines.

Welcomes Arizona and New Mexico to sisterhood of States.

Demands for Alaska full enjoyment and privileges of territorial form of government.

Refers to Russ an treaty and renews pledge to preserve "sacred rights of American citizenship at home and abroad."

Favors parcels post and extension of rural delivery.

Favors such encouragement as can be properly given the Panama Canal Exposition.

Commends to the States adoption of law making it an offense to discriminate against the uniform of the United States.

Renews declaration of last platform regarding generous pension policy.

Refers to the rule of the people and says: "The Democratic party offers itself to the country as an agency through which the complete overthrow and extirpation of corruption, fraud and machine rule in American politics can be effected."

The conclusion of the platform says: "Our platform is one of the principles which we believe to be essential to our national welfare" and invites co-operation of all citizens who believe in maintaining unimpaired the institutions and traditions of our country."

A Hero In a Lighthouse.

For years J. S. Donahue, So. Haven, Mich., a civil war captain, as a lighthouse keeper averted awful wrecks, but a queer fact is that he might have been a wreck himself if Electric Bitters had not prevented. "They cured me of kidney troubles and chills," he writes, "after I had taken other so-called cures for years, without benefit, and they also improved my sight. Now, at seventy, I am feeling fine." For dyspepsia, indigestion, all stomach, liver and kidney troubles, they are without equal. Try them. Only 50 cents at Oberdorfer's.

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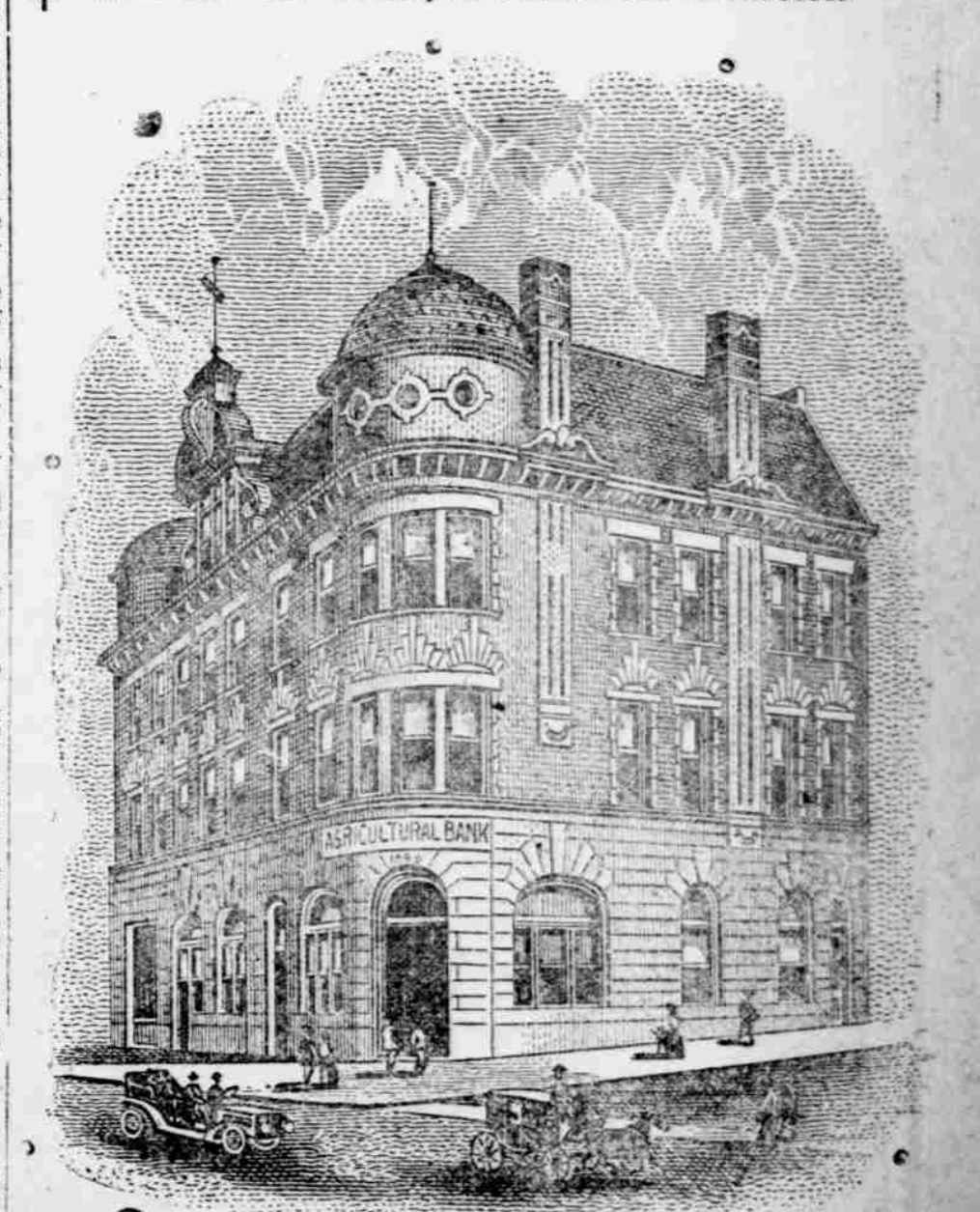
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